

SIX PAGES

New Year's Day was a glorious day for Old Glory.

The best way to get even with a man is to pay him what you owe him.

A noon expert says that mice place are not food. Correct. Most mice place are nightmares.

The government established by Captain Glass on the island of Guam proved to be a very brittle affair.

It is human to say, Mayor Weaver, of Louisville, is the most human mortal in this neck of the woods.

Lothar Uffel, of Louisville, cut his throat because he hadn't enough Christmas money. He was on his uppers as it were.

PLEASE GON, a mountain tough, was shot and killed the other day. It must be pleasing to his neighbors to know that John has gone.

JUDICIAL from the number of weddings that are taking place, Breckenridge county clergymen are getting lots of practice in tying the true love's knot.

IF HENRY WATSON'S nominations were like angel's visits, few and between, they would be more appreciated by the victims of his newly acquired nominal health.

A DOCTOR doctor says that out of 100,000 men between 30 and 35, 1,500 single men die, while only 863 married men depart this life. This would indicate that the state of matrimony is a health resort.

It is difficult to locate the man who raised the largest ear of corn in Breckenridge county last year. It is to deduce the exact boundaries of the ear of expansion. Truly this is an era of expansion.

HARTFORD, K.Y., has what is called an Entree-Non club. We do not know what entree means, but we have seen the word entree on the hotel bills of fare. The club must be a sort of eating affair for the Hartford papers tell us it "discussed a choice repast."

FIFTY thousand people are suffering with the grip in Louisville and the balance of the state is in the mercy of the disease. One of two things is true. The "colicose" are all becoming prohibitionists or Kentucky whiskey is not the infallible cure for grip that our own John Vest says it is.

WORTH THE PRICE. The war with Spain taught the North that the South is patriotic. It cost \$250,000,000 to rounce the Spaniards. It was worth that to whip the dons and was worth to be doubly gratified that it also covered the cost of haying the "bloody shirt."

WELL NIGH FAULTLESS. The Rockport Journal, one of the best county papers in Indiana, has the following to say of the News: "The Breckenridge (Ky.) News is a model county paper, always correct, and talking right. It is one of the best papers in the state, and its printing is of the most attractive style and the make-up of the paper is well nigh faultless."

CUBA IS AMERICAN SOIL. The sovereignty over Cuba has passed from Spain to the United States with the official ceremonies of the transfer on New Year's day, Spain ceased to be a power in the western world. The United States should see to it that her rule of the islands of Porto Rico and Cuba should be no beneficent that their inhabitants shall never rejoice at the departure of the Americans as they did at the leaving of the Spaniards. Let "old glory" in our new possessions be as much a flag of the free as it is at home.

DON'T SWEAR, FIGHT. It is the fact to make New Year resolutions. Most persons swear off at the season of the year. They resolve to quit smoking, drinking, gambling and other things not good for the body and soul. As a rule they make their resolutions only to break them. At the battle of San Juan hill, Col. Wood, of the Rough Riders, said to his men: "Don't swear, fight." His famous remark could be appropriately paraphrased during the New Year resolution season. "Don't swear off, fight your vices."

APINE PUBLICATION. In plain English, the Courier-Journal Almanac for 1899, is "much in little." It is an encyclopedic of information and an epitome of events. It contains a full history of the Spanish war, a record of the political events of the year and the pages of information on the war revenue bill alone makes it invaluable. The Courier-Journal Almanac is the best publication of its kind within our ken. It is a book that no man should be without. Failures to get it almost amounts to criminal negligence.

A SIMPLE REMEDY. A. W. Galloway, who is now in the city prison, serving a sentence for carrying concealed weapons, is a type of the class that is converting Kentucky with opium and is making the soil of this fair state, in truth, dark and bloody ground. It is an habitual drunkard. In a drunken frenzy he reached to his hip pocket for his revolver and shot at an offensive boy and the city marshal. It was a miracle that he did not kill both

his targets. There is a law against carrying pistols in Kentucky and it is as rigidly enforced as the officers of the law find it in their power to enforce it. The thing that baffles them is the hip pocket. Abolish the hip pocket and a long step is taken toward the discouragement of pistol toting.

A QUESTION OF PRIORITY. The New Year Sun, the New York Journal and the Brooklyn Eagle came to be the first advocates of the policy of expansion in this country. The Breckenridge News is a country weekly, but it claims priority. In the issue of May 11th it said:

"The brilliant victory of Dewey at Manila was a policy of isolation such as pursued by our country in the past is selfish and has a tendency to produce an insular narrowness that will, if followed up, in time dwarf the national character. In this age of commerce it is especially selfish and handicaps our energies."

THE BRECKENRIDGE NEWS. If not the first, was one of the first papers in the United States to see the significance of Dewey's victory as leading to a policy of national expansion.

THE FARMER'S INSTITUTE. The Farmers' Institute, which was held at Irvington yesterday and today was of profit to every tiller of the soil who attended. The great questions that relate to profitable farming were discussed by practical farmers. The time has come when the American farmer must look to every detail, both in production and in waste on the farm, if he would keep ahead of his enterprising neighbors. The day has passed when there is a good living in the soil at the expense of the tiller and the energetic. Careless methods which obtained on some farms fifty years ago will not now stand the severe competition of improved machinery and intelligent management. Those who would know how to keep up with modern methods and ideas should avail themselves of every opportunity to acquire a technical knowledge of their industry.

WHERE THE FAULT LIES.

This bad condition of some of the roads in the county is giving rise to considerable adverse criticism. The payers believe that the amount of money spent on road improvement this year should have been productive of more lasting results. They say, "Worked as much money as money judiciously spent, the results would have been more satisfactory. The fault does not lie so much with the roads as with the road makers. Too many of our magistrates are anxious to accomplish too much. They spent money in the superficial improvement of large sections of roadway. If they had devoted the funds to making permanent repairs on the worst places in the roads this year and followed it up with the same character work next year their efforts in the course of a few years would result in a splendid highway system. Road improvement in this county is experimental as yet and those who have the work in charge should learn from experience. The magistrates were too enthusiastic. They tried to do too much. Here is where the fault lies. Let them be more conservative next year. Let them cover less ground and do their work thoroughly. Then we will see enough have good roads in Breckenridge."

PLEA FOR A UNITED CHURCH. Rev. Dr. J. L. Vance, of Nashville, Tenn., in his Christmas day sermon urged a "union" of the terms "North" and "South" as applied to the Presbyterian church. He said: "I wonder if the time is not at hand for the abandonment of geographical names from the name of our beloved Presbyterian church in America. She should be the first to put into practice the Gospel she proclaims. And yet it must be admitted that, while the lines of the line have disappeared from the geography of citizenship, it survives in the geography of the church. I speak today for the Presbyterianism that shall no more be divided by 'North' and 'South,' but by the territorial boundaries shall be eternal with the uttermost limits of the republic." An American Presbyterian Church.

What Dr. Vance says of Presbyterianism is true of Methodism. A nation of separated denominations is a consumption devoted to be wished for. It would result in a concentration of forces that would bring about a greater and more enthusiastic era of Christian endeavor. Reunited churches would be a sacred benediction pronounced upon a reunited country.

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NICELY INTERPRETED.

"Uclic loah" interpreted With Professional Ability

The play "Uclic loah" rendered by the members of the local lodge of the O. U. W., at Mattingly's hall last Tuesday night, brought forth a world of compliments from the two large audiences that witnessed it.

The characters were all finely interpreted and the play was given with most professional smoothness.

A lack of space prevents an extended criticism of the play, but in justice to the actors we must say that all acquitted themselves in a very creditable manner. The drama was a success from an artistic and financial standpoint.

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Mr. Godfrey Haswell is visiting at Stephensport.

J. A. Dean, of Owensboro, was here last Saturday.

The branch did a big passenger business during the holidays.

Miss Arrie Robertson, of Glendene, is visiting Miss Allie Witt.

Rev. A. H. Davis and wife spent a few days last week visiting at Leitchfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sutton, of Louisville, arrived last Friday to visit friends here.

Morris Beard and wife went to Louisville last week to visit his father, Wm. Beard.

V. G. Babage has been appointed trustee in Bankruptcy for Wm. T. Mattingly.

Mr. and Mrs. Kingston spent a day in the country last week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Beard.

Miss Tula Daniel left last Friday to visit relatives in St. Louis. She will be absent about ten days.

Miss Robertson, of Glendene, who has been visiting Miss Eva Henry returned to Glendene Monday.

Miss W. J. Figgitt and her son Hubert, of Louisville, came down last week to visit her sister, Mrs. R. N. Miller.

Mrs. Ed Beard who has been visiting her father, Major Horace Scott, returned to her home in Louisville last Monday.

Your notice or action is now due and you are expected to come and settle without further notice.—A. X. Kinchloe.

We made an error last week in stating that Geo. Shattler paid \$2,000 for his farm lately purchased of George Hook. The price was \$3,000.

Miss Sallie Miller and her sister, Miss Bettie Hook went to Webster Monday evening to attend an opera supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Whitworth spent an elegant Christmas dinner at their residence near the depot last week at which several of their young friends were invited.

The young lady friends of Miss Lottie Sherman regretted to see her leave last Sunday for Canada, where she will make her home in the future. Miss Lottie was quite a favorite among the young society folks of this place.

Mrs. Mary McKinley, who has lived at Mrs. Daniel for several years, purchased a farm last week and has gone to the country to live. When Mrs. Daniel died Mrs. Ely presented her with \$100 in money and she invested this in the land.

Dr. R. W. Birch, who recently moved from Jolly's Station to a farm near Payneville, Miss. He was here one day last week. He says he is very much pleased with his new location, and in connection with the practice of medicine he will conduct a considerable farming interest. Mr. Birch left his subscription to the News.

Extensive arrangements are being made for the opening of the big revival which will begin at the city hall next Sunday night. All the Christian denominations of the town and surrounding country are invited to join in the service. A choir of fifty voices is being organized to conduct the singing under the leadership of the best musical talent in the city. The hall will be made comfortable for all who may attend and it is sufficiently large to seat eight or nine hundred people. The next night will occupy the same room, which is a commodious hall for seventy-four or one hundred people and this night or be reserved for them.

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GLENDEANE.

Bro. Higham announced last Sunday night that the opening sermon would be preached by Rev. Mr. Moore, pastor of the Baptist church, if he could get here. He is now in Louisville. He also announced that he was expecting a number of visiting ministers here during the program of the meeting, as several had been invited and had signified a willingness to attend.

Dr. Ball's Cough Syrup banishes at once all forms of throat diseases, and is as effective as permanent cure. This wonderful remedy has cured thousands of sufferers from bronchitis, hoarseness and other throat troubles.

GUSTON.

Mrs. Cook, mother of Mrs. E. D. Dickert, is on the sick list.

Mrs. Will Baskett is very ill at the home of her father, Joe G. Anderson.

Miss Myrtle Norman, who is teaching the Bald Knob school, went home to Sirocco to spend Xmas.

Mr. Partridge, the music teacher in Prof. Orville's school, at Irvington, is visiting Misses Emma and Ellen Munford.

Doctor Warner Shacklett is a new comer to our town, but he is one of the most zealous workers in our Christian Endeavor society.

On the evening of December 30 Miss Helen Pollock gave a collation party in honor of her guest, Miss Wills Flanagan, of Lebanon, Ky.

On December 30, 1898, Miss Nettie Rhumate, daughter of Mr. Mike Rhumate, died of the effects of a severe and protracted spell of typhoid fever.

Harry Constantine, one of the most highly respected colored men of this county, has returned from Chicago, where he has been for the past two years in the employ of Evan & Pusey.

Geo. J. Neff says it will only be short time until his store house and dwelling will be lighted with electricity. Just think of our town having electric lights! If we only had a town marshal and a "cabeboos" we would be "most up with our sister town, Irvington."

Say, that piece of poetry in last week's issue, from Frank Miller, is the first piece of poetry from this town since the illustrious Fred Bush left. But there is no telling what undeveloped resources this place does contain even if we have not found the largest ear of corn here yet, notwithstanding we keep up a mighty heap of coining the grains on every big ear.

Wall, our neighbor, Charley Blanford, was defeated, but I want to tell you what I heard a man say at the close of Mr. Blanford's speech here last Fall. He said: "I have read other Carlises, Lindseys, Wattersons, Bryans, and other writers on the money question, but Blanford has put this question before me in a plain way that I ever heard it put before."

This is quite a compliment to Mr. Blanford, as he was an intelligent and good business man as there is in a Madsen county who made the remark.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong. He failed to see Folky's Kidney Cure for his kidney complaint. A. A. Fisher, Cloverport; E. A. Shalman, Stephensport; E. A. Witt, Hardinsburg.

Male Dean spent his holidays at his home in Owensboro. Tom McClure came down on Monday's train to see relatives here. Miss Peter Lewis, of Hardinsburg, is visiting Miss Alina Mattingly. Miss Arrie Robertson visited Miss Allie Witt, of Hardinsburg, last week. Miss Alina Mattingly visited at Mr. Billy Rhodes' at McDaniel's, last week. John H. Kennedy, of Grayson county, was at Mr. Perry Hoskins' Saturday and Sunday. Get to hustling, or 1899 will be far along for you to keep up with the procession. Miss George B. Robertson was the guest of Miss Eva Henry, Hardinsburg, last week. Joe Mattingly went to Hardinsburg Monday to purchase a tract of timber on Jewell's creek. Owen Hunter accompanied his sister to Stone Runway. Miss Hunter has five weeks more teaching. Miss Ella Robertson has returned from a very pleasant visit to Miss Jennie Green, Falls of Rough. Bob's Moorman, after two weeks of holiday returned Monday to the A. and M. College at Lexington. Instead of returning to Georgetown Paul Dempster goes to Louisville this week to enter Medical College. Jimmy Reeves, Centerville, Ia., is visiting at his uncle's, F. L. Curtis. He has accepted a position in the post and freight office. Bro. Miller, besides knowing the soldier and his lineage, knows the spirit of poetry. His pen should not be an idle one. Mr. Jesse L. Owen has returned from Lewisport, where he had been for some time directing the feeding of his herd of cattle. Mr. B. Moorman and son Henry, our boy in line, went to Owensboro Friday to visit friends and relatives. They returned Sunday. All praise to Kentucky girls! They are not only the fairest but the noblest the world contains. No Hobson kingdom here, and we are proud of them. Mrs. D. C. Moorman and little daughters, Louisa and Betts visited Mrs. Frank Payton and attended the protracted meeting at the Falls of Rough for two days. Glendene departed herself twice through the holidays. No trouble of any sort. The few jugs shipped in were private and drunkenness was a rarity. These things were as they should be, and our citizens are made.

It's said that those Fordville people think of coming up Saturday and giving their plays and leave at Uppie Hall Sunday night. Hopes they will do so. A great big welcome and a full house shall be theirs if they'll let us know in time and the weather be good.

Miss Mary Moorman, Miss Fannie Flamer, Miss Nannie Board, and Messrs. Henry Moorman, and Paul Dempster went to Fordville Saturday. They returned Sunday afternoon, delighted with their visit and at entertainment.

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Officers Elected.

A Rightful Blunder

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INTERESTING FACTS.

About Three Very Queer European Cities.

Two are built on Islands and One on Piles.

The city of Ghent, in Belgium, is built on twenty-six islands. These islands are connected with each other by eighty bridges. The city has three hundred streets and thirty public squares. It is noted for being the birthplace of Charles V. and of John of Ghent, whom Shakespeare called "time-honored Lancaster;" and as the scene of the pacification of Ghent, November 8, 1576, and of several insurrections, sieges, and executions of well-known persons. It is associated with American history by the treaty made there December 24, 1814, terminating the second war between England and the United States, known as the War of 1812.

Amsterdam, in Holland, is built on piles driven for miles into the sea. The city is intersected by many canals, which are spanned by nearly three hundred bridges, and resembles Venice in the mingling of land and water, though it is considerably larger than that city. The canals divide the city, which is about ten miles in circumference, into nine islands.

The city of Venice is built on eighty islets, which are connected by nearly four hundred bridges. Canals serve for streets in Venice and boats, called gondolas, for carriages. The Grand Canal, as a rule, very steep, rising considerably in the middle, but being easy stages. The circumference of the city is about eight miles—Philadelphia Times.

SAVED OUR LIFE.

Do Not Neglect the Kidneys and Bladder.

Disorder of these important organs causes Bright's disease, rheumatism, pain in the back, dropsy and other troubles. Disease sometimes gets a hold upon your kidneys and bladder before you realize that anything serious is the matter. Often these organs are neglected until that awful malady, Bright's disease, has fastened upon you, and death awaits its victim. Many miraculous cures have been wrought by a course of treatment with Dr. Davis' Kidney Tablets. These tablets are put up in the shape of a kidney bean, and the formula has been produced by the best physicians and modern times to be the most direct in action on the kidneys of any remedy known to medical science. You can eat these tablets as you would candy. See our little booklet on kidney disease. Sold by all druggists, or sent on receipt of price 50 cents and \$1.

A Fine Offer.

A usual interest to every reader of this issue of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat is the advertisement elsewhere in this issue of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat of an advertisement of a great deal of American newspaper. That perfect paper can now be had by mail, every day, including the big Sunday issue, for only six dollars per year and at that price. It is certainly within the reach of all who desire to read daily papers. The Weekly Globe-Democrat is issued in semi-weekly sections of eight pages each, making it practically a large newspaper, at one dollar a year. This issue is just the thing for the farmer, merchant or professional man who has the time to read a daily paper, but who does not want to pay for it. It is made up with special reference to the needs of every reader. It contains not only giving all the news, but also a great variety of interesting and instructive reading matter of all kinds. Write for free sample copies to Globe Printing Co., St. Louis Mo.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten millions trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has cured thousands of hopeless cases, of Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on Short & Hart for a trial bottle, or send for a trial bottle free. Regular \$5.00 and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or price refunded.

A LONG VISIT.

It Exemplifies the True Southern Hospitality.

One of the longest visits on record in one that was made by a woman in the south. Perhaps such a thing could not have happened in a less hospitable part because a woman, a refined woman with no home of her own; that was in the days when women were expected to be cared for and not going out into the world to look out for themselves. This woman went one day to meet the doctor with a friend, and she remained for twenty-five years. She outlived the father and mother of the family, took their place to some extent in the hearts of the children, and for all those years she lived there happy and beloved, and giving in return for her home those services which could not be hired.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles. Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by Dr. Witt's Wonderful Balm. Beware of worthless imitations.—Short & Hart.

COLD WATER.

FARM AND STOCK.

William Moore, of Harlan, sold to Danville parties a lot of corn at \$1.35 delivered.

Cum gratia to one little Wisconsin town, Painesville, were paid \$7,000 for their crop this year.

There are 108 cheese factories in Monroe county, Wis., and this year 10,000,000 pounds of cheese were made. Its and U. S. Shelby, of the Shelby City section in the country, of Ohio, 40,700 pound belfers at \$2.00 a premium of \$1 per head.—Advocate.

The Stanford Journal notes the sales of several lots of hogs at \$2.70 to \$3.80; lot of corn at \$1.35 delivered; 25 yearling and two-year-old cattle at \$3.85.

In Kansas the application of 20 tons of burayard manure per acre caused an excessive growth of straw in wheat and failed to properly develop the grain.

Wills, of Cynthiana, bought for a Philadelphia party 23 male colts of Barton, of Gerard, and nine of M. S. Bagshaw, of Stanford, at an average of \$30.

Our foreign trade in corn, wheat and potato starch has increased enormously. Thirty years ago exports were but \$305,000 and during the past fiscal year \$1,372,000.

John M. VanMeter, of Boyle, sold five registered short-horn heifers Monday for \$300, three of them being yearlings and one being two-year-olds.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

Transplanting can only be successfully performed on well tilled ground. The soil must be thoroughly and deeply plowed and harrowed until all the clods have disappeared.

Dr. Leach, state veterinarian, is warning farmers to beware of feeding rotten corn. He says there is much of it in the country and that it will produce many life to animals. It will also cause more to abort next spring.

Louisville fell behind in its tobacco sales this year. Only 103,662 hogsheads were offered in the market against 109,175 in 1907. The agricultural department estimates the crops of corn and oats for 1908 at worth \$83,000 more than the same crops for 1907.

If the hens are not in trees, feed them plenty of corn to keep them warm, and give up expecting eggs until the warm weather comes, but if you have used them properly and feed them right, remembering that neither fat hen nor cold will lay any eggs, you will be rewarded.

Hogs are rushing to the big markets. The breeders' classic gives three reasons for this. First, hogs are plentiful; second, disease is active in perhaps more than an average degree, and third, the country has some decided views as to the future price of corn and beef. Notwithstanding the large crop figured out on paper the farmer believes in a higher price. The enormous exports and the undoubted damage done by prolonged weather this fall—all which the government report took no note—combine to give confidence of a better price.

Brave Men Fell.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, head ache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to L. W. Gardner, Indiana. He says: "Electric Bitters was the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now do anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at Short & Hart's Drug Store. Every bottle guaranteed.

Shouldn't Have a Mother.

A mother who was visiting her son, after a long separation, complained to him with feeling that he had not spent a single day with her since her coming, which was wholly to see him. "Tell your son you haven't seen your mother for five years," she urged. "They will give you a day off, surely." The son was a loving, filial son, but his fair hair rose on his head at the idea. "Well, mother, you don't know what you're saying. They'll give me a day, last another and then get a man who hadn't any mother!"—Harper's Bazar.

Mr. A. F. Fackler, Editor of the Micanopy (Fla) Hauler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly with La Grippe (one Minute Cough). One box of this remedy helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for La Grippe, and its astonishing after-effects.—Short & Hart.

Remarkable Carpet.

One of the most remarkable articles ever made in prison. The superintendent of Agra jail two years ago received an order to weave a carpet of special design for the British Government. On it was the finest carpet of the establishment was 77 feet by 40 feet and is estimated to contain no fewer than 30,000,000 stitches.

Taxation in China.

The Chinese are perhaps the most lightly taxed people in the world. China all the land belongs to the State, and a trifling sum per acre—never altered through long centuries—paid as rent. This is the only tax in the country, and it amounts to about 60 cents per head yearly.

These are dangerous times for the health. Croup, colds and throat trouble lead rapidly to Consumption. A bottle of Cox Minute Cough Cure used twice a day will preserve life, health and a large amount of money.—Short & Hart.

FIFTEEN YEARS

A Sufferer with Lane Bank.



W. A. GIBBS.

"Pittsburg, N. Y., June 28, 1908.
Dr. M. M. Warren, Dear Sir:
I most cordially recommend your Kidney and Bladder Cure for what it has done for me. I have been a sufferer for fifteen years with backache and kidney trouble. Sometimes my back has been so bad I could hardly straighten up for a month at a time. I would take with a stick in the back. I would not sleep for three days in a month. The doctors have tried every remedy. One physician said I had strained my back and there was nothing for it but to let me alone. Two years ago I got a bottle of your Kidney and Bladder Cure and one bottle of your Bladder Cure. I took them and was completely cured. I am now well and contented."

B. A. WITT.

Druggist.

Harlanburg, Kentucky.

UTOPIA NOTES.

UTOPIA HONOR ROLL AND NOTES.

The Literaries will resume their work after the holidays.

Flora Tilford, one of our best workers, was absent two days.

Considerable lot of new pupils with the opening of the new year.

Special emphasis are put on mental arithmetic and liberal reading.

Miss Board's pupils (particulars with Christmas celebration Friday. Well done.

Hon. J. P. Hissel visited the school Friday, always a welcome guest. He promises on a speech next time.

Frequent consultation of dictionaries, international and standard Chamber's Encyclopedia in the school room with Britannica readily accessible.

Their friends will understand that sickness, absence, holiday preparations, international and standard Chamber's Encyclopedia in the school room with Britannica readily accessible.

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Record breaking occurs in two ways this time. First, three of the pupils, Daisy Deane, My Dummer and Emma Dea Moorman have a grade of 100 for two successive months. The following completes the list: Nellie Robertson, 69; Rosalind Moorman, 98; Alma Mattingly, 97; Elliott and Walter Moorman, 99; Charles, 98; Arrie Robertson, 93; Ada Mattingly, 92; Ollie Hoarson, 93; Emma Hunter, 91; John Fisher, 88; Jessie Rhodes, 98.

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., offered agency for thirty days, and then ended his files by using DeWitt's Witch Hives. It beats injuries and skin diseases as magic.—Short & Hart.

NO PREJUDICE.

Japanese Are Favorably Inclined Toward Our Products.

The Japanese have no prejudice against American products or manufactures on the contrary their sympathy is freely admitted, and American trade with the island is constantly increasing. In the year ending December 31st last, the United States exceeds all other countries in export to Japan of the following articles: Paper to the value of \$12,818; cottoned mill, \$57,917; flour, \$572,354; silk, leather, \$104,416; paraffin wax, \$10,352; timber, \$182,791; tobacco, \$43,914; wheat, \$105,539; kerosene oil, \$2,665,869; besides numerous other manufactured articles. The largest imports from that country are raw silk, leas and mattings.

That Rubbing Headache.

Would quickly leave it, if you used Dr. King's New Discovery. Thousands of sufferers have proved their satisfaction merit for Blood and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and strong nerves and build up your health. Easy to take. Try them. Only 25 cents. Money back if not cured. Sold by Short & Hart, Harlanburg, Ky.

A Car Load.

Very often you desire to know "what constitutes a car load." Well, paste this in your mind, and you will find an answer. It is 70 barrels of salt, 100 of flour, 100 of wheat, 200 of corn, 100 of oats, 100 of barley, 100 of rye, 100 of clover, 100 of alfalfa, 100 of timothy, 100 of hay, 100 of straw, 100 of manure, 100 of bones, 100 of kerosene, 100 of oil, 100 of gas, 100 of electricity, 100 of steam, 100 of water, 100 of air, 100 of earth, 100 of fire, 100 of life, 100 of love, 100 of hope, 100 of faith, 100 of charity, 100 of peace, 100 of joy, 100 of happiness, 100 of health, 100 of wealth, 100 of power, 100 of glory, 100 of honor, 100 of fame, 100 of respect, 100 of admiration, 100 of love, 100 of friendship, 100 of family, 100 of country, 100 of world, 100 of universe, 100 of everything.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. Ayer & Co.

Small Size, 25 Cents.

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INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

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Local Brevities.

Write it 1899.
River is falling.
How's this for winter weather.
Miss Eva May on the sick list.
Mrs. Christopher Perry is quite sick.
Fred Frazer spent Sunday in Henderson.
Mrs. Charles Elder is sick with the grip.
Postmaster Jonas Wilson is convalescing.
Saw Salt Castle soap 6 cents a box at Suiter's.
Orville Gregory is seriously ill at his home.
Clashing at lowest possible price—Suiter's.
It is now against the law to shoot quail.
Postmaster Wilson is slowly improving in health.
Charles White was in Henderson, Sunday.
Albert Luffel is confined to his home by sickness.
Country schools are preparing to close for the year.
Mrs. W. H. Barnes is confined to her home by illness.
Mrs. Charles Thine is in Owensboro visiting relatives.
J. E. Keith was in Owensboro, Thursday, on business.
Charles Morris, of Louisville, is visiting at Fellows.
Rev. Reed, of Hardinburg, was in the city Monday.
V. G. Babcock, of Hardinburg, was in the city Tuesday.
Mrs. Thomas Toney has been seriously ill for the past week.
R. J. Baker, of Floral, was in the city Thursday on business.
M. H. Bright, of Falcon, was in the city Friday on business.
New Year's resolutions are like eggs, they are easily broken.
Walter Oates returned to college at Georgetown Monday.
Mrs. Marion Ryan, of Louisville, is visiting relatives in the city.
Miss Sheest, of West Point, is the guest of Miss Nannie Braden.
Miss Addie Felt, of Adairville, is visiting Miss Mary Moorman.
Engene Kingsbury has just recovered from an attack of the grip.
Herbert Board, of Hardinburg, visited at Brandenburg last week.
Miss Mable Sterrett, of Skillman, is visiting relatives in the city.
Charles Hamman and wife went to Louisville, Saturday, on a visit.
John Dean, the lumber king of Glendean, was in the city Monday.
The reaction in business is about over and things are picking up again.
Miss Marion Boyer returned to college at Oxford, Ohio, Tuesday.
James Fisher was at Owensboro Thursday, attending at the Potter school.
Miss Fannie Hardin was the guest of Miss Jeannette Ward last week.
James Younger came home Thursday from a week's visit at Hawesville.
Use Golden Crown hair oil is guaranteed to be the best for the hair.
Flannel shirts for all sizes, ages and sexes at reduced prices—Suiter's.
G. W. Roff, of Indianapolis, was the guest of Mrs. H. J. May last week.
Miss Marie Wirt, of this city is visiting Miss Lucille Miller at Owensboro.
Miss John Smith and son, of Fordville, are visiting Mrs. Eliza Collins.
Manager Cerr, of the Fair, went to Louisville on a short visit Saturday.
Miss Maria Watkins returned home from a visit to Owensboro Monday.
The bank was closed Monday, that day being observed as a holy holiday.
The lumber business was never more active in this section than at present.
Miss Minnie Lynch, of Petesville, was in the city shopping one day last week.
Miss Connie Williams, of Hartsville, visited relatives in the city last week.
Miss Rena Birk, of Owensboro, is in the city the guest of Miss Beulah Jarboe.
Attorney Robert Woods, of Louisville, was in the city on business Wednesday.
Alfred Heston, of Hardinburg, was the guest of Miss Kate Sawyer Sunday.
Mrs. Frank Hall is one of the latest victims of the fashionable disease, the gripe.
Mrs. Adella Rhythe, of Hardinburg, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Toney.
Sam May and family, of Hardinburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lewis last week.
Mrs. Dr. J. T. Owen and daughter, Lela, are confined to their homes by illness.
Robt. Vaughn bought on Thursday the Henry Webster farm near Duke for \$250.
Miss Alice Mattingly returned Saturday from a short visit at Henderson.
Fred Marline, a type in this office spent a very pleasant New Year at Rockport.
Annie Pughman returned to Louisville Monday to resume the study of pharmacy.
There is about 75,000 pounds of model tobacco remaining in the Floral neighborhood.
Police Judge John Skillman was the guest of friends at Henderson and Evansville last week.
Miss May Connor returned home Tuesday from a visit to relatives near Bonn, Ind.
"Speck" Beavin, once sergeant of the Fourth Kentucky, was home on a short furlough last week.
The new novelty—a jeweled trivet with a motto on the back—highly places the girl—Suiter's.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Haynes and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday visiting relatives at Rappah.
William Gough Howard and wife, of Hardinburg, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howell.

COUNCIL MEETING.

Telephone Franchise is Awarded The Ohio Valley Company.

City Will Get the Free Use of a Phone and the Poles.

The first meeting of the Council for the new year was a very interesting one. Mayor Berry and all the councilmen were present.
The most important matter before the body was the purchase of the telephone franchise from the Ohio Valley Telephone Company.
The latter was represented by Judge James H. Skillman, who pointed out the benefits that would accrue to this city by the installation of an exchange.
The council voted on the matter, and on an ordinance accepting the bid to the Ohio Valley Company was passed.
F. R. Lord, the company's representative, is at work making arrangements to start the work of giving Cleveland a splendid exchange. He expects that it will be made a sub-central station, and will be a very important point.
The city will be given the use of one telephone pole, and will also be allowed the privilege of stringing five alarm wires on these poles in case a fire service is put in.
Comptroller and clerk were notified, that they quickly get the city with a few dollars of BALLARD'S HORSE-HOUND SYRUP. Price 25 and 50 cents.

DUKES.

Miss Lida Johnson, who has the fever, we learn is some better.
The beautiful snow was the winding sheet of the deceased 1898.
Henry Ray and wife, of Cloverport, attended services here Sunday.
School commenced again Monday a pleasant recess during the holidays.
Jack Barnett is erecting a residence on the farm he lately purchased from his brother.
Charlie Nichols and family, of Caney Creek, returned home last night, after spending the holidays with relatives.
The time of year is here when moving is in order, the fire scarcely dies out in the vacated home before some one moves in.
A series of meetings will commence at the C. P. church the third Sunday in this month. Rev. Hook, of Hardinburg, will assist.
Prospecting for coal still continues in our neighborhood, while the prospects for the holiday are not so worrisome as has been feared.
Mrs. Angeline Tindle and Mrs. Lizzie Dunn returned home from Owensboro Saturday, where they had been spending the holidays with their sister, Mrs. Rebecca Powers.
New Year's day was a bright and beautiful day, reminding us that if we let the sunshine of God's love beam in our soul every day of the year may bring renewed hope and happiness to our spiritual nature.
The Methodist conference erecting a church house here in the near future. The building committee, Jerry Robson, Abner Bigham, Len Aldridge, Rev. D. L. Bowles and James Lay, will push the work to completion as fast as possible.
The M. E. Quarterly conference convened here Saturday and Sunday. Rev. Reed preached Saturday at 11 o'clock the business of the meeting was conducted in the evening. The presiding Elder, Howard, of Louisville, presiding, a joyous and interesting meeting was held, presided by Rev. Reed at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, after which Mr. Howard preached a very impressive sermon and similar services.

Mr. Editor, having been challenged by John Duke to fight a duel with the pen, the difficulty arising as to the most proper times under Cleveland's or McKinley's administration, both men have advocates of a single standard, I, as an advocate of a bimillennial will choose the lesser evil and engage Grover for my second. The boys were the same day, we accept the challenge and move that Mr. Duke pay for an extra page in the News to print the details of this desperate engagement.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, The famous little pills.

Advice to Consumptives

There are three great remedies that every person with weak lungs, or with consumption (tuberculosis) should use. These remedies will cure about every case in its first stages; and many of those more advanced. It is only the most advanced that are hopeless. Even these are wonderfully relieved and life is greatly prolonged.
What are these remedies? Fresh air, proper food and

Scott's Emulsion of **cod-liver oil** with **hypophosphite**. Be afraid of draughts but not of fresh air. Eat nutritious food and drink plenty of milk. Do not forget that Scott's Emulsion is the oldest, the most thoroughly tested and the highest endorsed of all remedies for consumption in all its stages.

The Ills of Children.

Dr. Hartman offers his advice to parents on the treatment of coughs and colds.

EARN
To the ignorance or neglect of parents is due the fatal termination of many children's complaints.

If you are not informed as to the proper course to pursue to drive off a child's cold, write to Dr. Hartman, President of the Surgical Hotel, Columbus, O., for advice, and ask for some of his free books which contain the most pertinent facts about colds, coughs and all catarrhal diseases. Per-na, Dr. Hartman's great prescription, is wholly vegetable. It wards off colds entirely if taken at the beginning in proper doses. It breaks up settled colds quickly; it is scientific and safe; there is no mystery about it. Dr. Hartman's books tell just how it acts and why. All druggists sell it.

Mrs. C. T. Rogers, Elgin, Ill., says: "Dr. S. R. Hartman, Columbus, O., Dear Sir:—Your medicine saved my baby's life. We stopped all treatment of my young, and now she is a beautiful baby. It was certainly a miracle."

Mrs. Becking, East Toledo, O., writes to the Per-na Medicine Co.: "DEAR SIR:—Per-na is the best medicine I ever had in my house. My children had a bad cold and one of them had the lung fever. I cured them all with Per-na."

Proper knowledge of the treatment of coughs and colds is the first importance to parents. This knowledge is offered free. All catarrhal diseases succumb to Per-na. Send for a free Per-na Almanac for the year 1899.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures. That is what it was made for.

TOBINSPOUT, IND.

Happy New Year to all.
Lobe Hawkins is on the sick list.
We are glad to hear Floyd Whitehead is better.
Tobin Groves and wife are visiting at Mr. Aleck Cummings'.
Mrs. Ann Groves is still confined to her room, but is some better.
Miss Alice Taylor went to Hawesville to see her mother today.
Lester Polk will arrive tonight to finish the term of school here.
Miss Mable Whitehead is spending the holidays in Cloverport.

The box supper at the Finch school house Saturday was a success.
School will commence tomorrow after a week and two days of vacation.
Dr. S. S. Watkins, of Owensboro, was here last Friday to give Dr.ink water.
Mr. Tom Ahl, of Mowena, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aleck Ahl Sunday.
Mrs. Florence Winton spent last week in Cloverport, the guest of Mrs. Wood Weatherill.
Mrs. Lorinda Polk and son Wavy spent Monday in Cloverport, the guest of Mrs. L. L. Rodgers.

Wallace and George Weatherill spent Friday with their cousins, Claud and Stanley Hayden.
Several of the men had an attack of the grip last week and tried Atwood's Bitters. Ask them the results.
Miss Mabel Whitehead has secured a place in the Canaan school, and will leave here the last of this week.
Mrs. Cass Whitehead and son Floyd went to Louisville to spend Christmas, and Floyd was taken dangerously ill the next day.

Almost Paralyzed.
"After the grip I could not eat anything for weeks. One of my arms was almost paralyzed. I continued to take Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured me. I am now well and an stronger than ever before. My father was troubled with rheumatism, but has been cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla."
J. R. FENNEL, Old Fort, Tenn.

Hood's Pills cure rashes, headache.

STEPHENSPOUT

The entertainment the 28th was quite a success in all things.
Mrs. Louie Kelly, of Cincinnati, is visiting Mr. Will Felt.
Prof. Eugene Gilliland left Monday for Louisville to attend college.
Miss E. Kate Allen, of Chenault, spent last week with Mr. F. C. Ferry.
Jim Frank Bugg, of Owensboro, spent a few days last week with his parents.
Floyd Miller, who has been spending the holidays with his father, returned to Henderson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bennett, of Louisville, spent a few days last week with their mother, Mr. Isaac Gilbert.
Mrs. Andrew Jackson and daughter, Rachel, of Cloverport, spent Sunday with her niece, Mrs. David White.
Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Howell, of Hardinburg, spent New Year's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McQuibbin.

Will Vaughn and son, Grinstead, of Louisville, was to see his brother, Robert, who is slowly improving from a severe attack of the gripe.
F. C. Ferry, of the L. & N. R., who has been home the last ten days with the gripe and a few other ailments combined, has returned to his work.
A crowd of young folks entered Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Skillman's home by the way of a storm New Year's eve and were delightedly entertained and served with refreshments.

Mrs. R. H. Miller, Mrs. J. W. Jarrett, Miss Lilla Hiner, of Louisville, Miss Kate Allen, of Chenault, and Floyd Miller, of Henderson, spent New Year's day with Mrs. L. Paulman, near Boone.



A Rich Discovery.

In going over our stock we find we have some goods left which we must dispose of and to do this we will inaugurate a

Mid-Winter Sale.

This sale will be of benefit to you for the reason that you can procure a class of goods suitable for mid-winter wear at prices that you can easily afford. What you buy now can be worn comfortably for many weeks yet and may save you health and doctor bills.

THIS SALE

Is for the purpose of making room for the Spring Goods and we start it now so that there will be greater inducements for you to buy.

SULZER'S.

When a Girl Looks a Man Over

SHE sizes him up from head to foot. If he wears a nobby hat, an up-to-date collar, a tasty necktie, a nice shirt, a handsome suit of clothes, a neat pair of shoes, the kind boy by *****

C. SMITH,

At His Exclusive Furnishing Store, at Fordsville,

That man will stand inspection, and will find favor in the girls' eyes. *****

MORAL:—BUY YOUR OUTFIT OF

C. SMITH,

FORDSVILLE, KY.

Ephephian, 18th chapter, first verse, he's tophibed "Love" since cold was present, and seemed to be appreciative.

People Appreciate
Lung Irritation is the forerunner to consumption. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure it and give strength to the lungs that a cough could not settle there. Twenty-five cents at all drug stores.

Wm. Beavis dead.

William Beavin, who has been suffering from a complication of diseases died about 5 o'clock Monday evening. The deceased was born in this county in 1849 and was the son of Austin Beavin. He has been in the saloon business here for some time. John Vent, in speaking of the deceased said: "William Beavin was a straight forward man. He was scrupulously honest in every transaction and was a good citizen." This is the sentiment of all who knew him. He was a member of the Catholic church. A host of friends mourn his loss.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure. Makes weak men strong. Sold every where. See R. M. Druggists.

WANTS.

WANTED.—A man capable of immediately applying at the FALLON MINES, Adair Co., Ky., M. H. Wright, Manager. No trouble.

FARM FOR SALE.

THURKILL will be offered for sale at the Court House in Henderson, Ky., on the 28th of January, 1899, a tract of land of about 100 acres, known as the Wm. Adair's farm, near Rockport, Ky., on a creek of the same name and adjacent to the land of Mr. J. C. Adair. The land is well improved and is a desirable place for a farm. For particulars apply to J. C. Adair, Adair Co., Ky.

Administrator's Notice.
All persons having claims against the estate of John Adair, deceased, are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned, who is the administrator of said estate, at his office in Henderson, Ky., on or before the 28th day of January, 1899.

Shirley Notice.
Take up as a wife by D. T. Paul, living in Rockport, Ky., the 28th day of January, 1899, the said Shirley, who was married to the said D. T. Paul, and who is now living with the said D. T. Paul, at Rockport, Ky.

Yes, We're; Foley's Honey and Tar is the Best Cough Medicine.—A. R. Fisher, of Owensboro; E. A. Shellenbarger, of Rockport; E. A. Wirt, of Hardinburg.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Cures Piles, Swells, Burns.

